

A PROCLAMATION.

VVHEREAS it hath pleased Almighty God in his Great Mercy to this Kingdom, to Vouchsafe us a Miraculous Deliverance from Popery and Arbitrary Power; and that our Preservation is due next under God, to the Resolution and Conduct of His Highness the Prince of ORANGE, whom God hath Chosen to be the Glorious Instrument of such an Inestimable Happiness to us and our Posterity: and being highly Sensible, and fully Perswaded of the Great and Eminent Virtues of Her Highness the Princess of ORANGE, whose Zeal for the Protestant Religion will no doubt bring a Blessing along with Her upon this Nation. And whereas the Lords and Commons now Assembled at *Westminster*, have made a Declaration, and presented the same to the said Prince and Princess of ORANGE, and therein desired Them to accept the Crown, who have accepted the same accordingly. We therefore the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, together with the Lord Mayor and Citizens of *London*, and others of the Commons of this Realm, do with a full Consent, Publish and Proclaim according to the said Declaration, WILLIAM and MARY, Prince and Princess of ORANGE, to be KING and QUEEN of *England, France and Ireland*, with all the Dominions thereunto belonging, Who are accordingly so to be Owned, Deemed, Accepted, and Taken by all the People of the aforesaid Realms and Dominions, who are from henceforward bound to acknowledge, and Pay unto them all Faith and true Allegiance; Beseeching God, by whom Kings Reign, to Bless King WILLIAM, and Queen MARY, with long and happy Years to Ring over us,

GOD Save King WILLIAM and Queen MARY.

Jo. Brown, Cleric.
Parliamentorum.

The Names of the King His Council in England.

Prince of Orange,
Archbishop of Cambridge,
D. Norfolk,
M. Halyfax President,
M. Winchester,
E. Danby Lord Treasurer,
E. Oxford,
E. Shrewsbury Secretary of State,
E. Redford,
E. Bristol,
E. Dovenhire Steward of his Majesty's Household.

James, Lord Chamberlain of his Majesty's Household,
V. Falconberg,
V. Mardons,
V. Newport,
Bishop of London,
L. Wharton,
L. Delamare,
L. Montague,

L. Lomley,
L. Chubb,
S. Henry, Secretary of State,
S. Robert Howard,
S. Henry Capel,
S. Henry Powel,
Mr. Edward Russell,
Mr. Richard Hamden,
Mr. Buscon,

Whitehall, Febr. 13. This morning the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons being Assembled at *Westminster*, and having agreed upon an Instrument in Writing, for Declaring the Prince and Princess of Orange, King and Queen of *England, France and Ireland*, with all the Dominions and Territories thereunto belonging, and presented the same to their Highnesses in the Banqueting House, and received their Consent thereto: The said Lords and Commons about Eleven of the Clock came down to *Whitehall-Gate*, where the Officers of Arms, Sergeants at Arms, Trumpets, and other Persons concerned in the Solemnity, being Assembled, by Order from the Duke of *Norfolk*, Earl Marshal of *England*: Sir *Tho. St. George* Kt. Garter Principal King of Arms, having received a Proclamation, and the said Officers of Arms being Ordered by the House of Lords forthwith to Proclaim the same, *York Herald* (after the Trumpets had thrice sounded) Proclaimed it at *Whitehall-Gate* accordingly (the said Garter Reading it to him by Periods) in the presence of the said Lords and Commons and Multitudes of People there Assembled, who concluded the same with repeated Acclamations of Joy, from whence they proceeded in this manner. First, the Head Bayliff of *Westminster* with his Men; Next, the Knight Marshals Men, then a Class of Trumpets, followed by the Sergeant Trumpeter; Then an Officer of Arms singly, followed by six other, each accompanied with a Sergeant at Arms: Then Garter King of Arms with the Proclamation, accompanied by the Usher of the Black-Rod; Then the Lord Marquis of *Malifax*, who executes the Place of Speaker in the House of Lords, in his Coach, attended by Sir *Roger Harpur*, Eldest Sergeant at Arms, with his Mace; Then *Henry Powel* Esq; Speaker of the House of Commons, in his Coach, attended by Sergeant *Topham*, with his Mace; Then the Duke of *Norfolk*, Earl Marshal of *England* in his Coach, followed by the rest of the Peers in Order, all in Coaches; Lastly, the Members of the House of Commons in their Coaches: Thus they proceeded to *Temple-Bar*, where the Gates being shut, two of the Officers of Arms (attended by a Sergeant at Arms, and two Trumpets) knocking the same, the Sheriffs of *London* and *Middlesex* coming to the Gate, and being informed of the Occasion of their Coming, Ordered the Gates to be opened, and the Whole Proceeding entered (except the Bailiff of *Westminster*, and his Men, who went off there) and the Lord Mayor, Recorder, and Aldermen receiving them in their Formalities, a second Proclamation was made between the two *Temple-Gates*; and the said Aldermen, Sheriffs and Lord Mayor falling into the Proceeding, at *Woodstreet* and in *Cheapside* Their Majesties were Proclaimed a Third time; and so at the *Royal Exchange* in *Cornhill* a Fourth time; Each Proclamation being echoed with Universal Acclamations of Joy by the Multitudes of People which crowded the Streets, Windows and Balconies; The Streets all the way from *Temple-Bar* to the *Royal Exchange* being lined with four Regiments of the City Militia. Thus the Ceremony ended, and the Night was concluded with Bonfires, and Ringing of Bells, and all other Expressions of Duty and Affections to Their Majesties, King WILLIAM, and Queen MARY, with hearty Wishes for Their long and happy Reign.

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